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The listed items were cited by the European Patent Office in a counterpart application, namely Appln. No. 01127953.6. A copy of the European Search Report dated November 24, 2003 is attached hereto.

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The claims of the application as now presented are believed to patentably distinguish over the prior art and to be in condition for allowance. Early and favorable consideration of the case is respectfully requested.

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Applicant submits that each item of information contained in the Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application no more than three months prior to the filing of the Statement.

Respectfully submitted,

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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	EP 0 913 977	5/6/1999	EPO			X	
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## OTHER PRIOR ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

		1.	European Search Report dated November 24, 2003 issued in a counterpart application, namely, Appln. No. 01127953.6.

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